

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
EL PASO DIVISION**

**EUGENII GLUSHCHENKO,**

**Plaintiff,**

**V.**

**EP-21-CV-00174-FM**

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
HOMELAND SECURITY;  
ALEJANDRO MAYORKAS, Secretary  
of the United States Department of  
Homeland Security; TAE JOHNSON,  
Director of United States Immigration  
and Customs Enforcement; COREY  
PRICE, Executive Associate Director for  
Enforcement and Removal Operations;  
JUAN ACOSTA, El Paso Field Office  
Director, Office of Detention and  
Removal,**

### Defendants.

## ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

Before this court is “Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice” (“Motion”) [ECF No. 2], filed August 2, 2021 by Alexey V. Tarasov (“Tarasov”). Therein, Tarasov requests the court permit him to appear *pro hac vice* in the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas to represent Eugeniï Glushchenko.<sup>1</sup> Tarasov informs the court he will file an Application for Admission to Practice before the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas if so requested.<sup>2</sup> Tarasov is a member in good standing of the State Bar of Texas.<sup>3</sup> Additionally,

<sup>1</sup> “Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice” 1, ECF No. 2, filed Aug. 2, 2021.

<sup>2</sup> *Id.* at 3.

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* at 1.

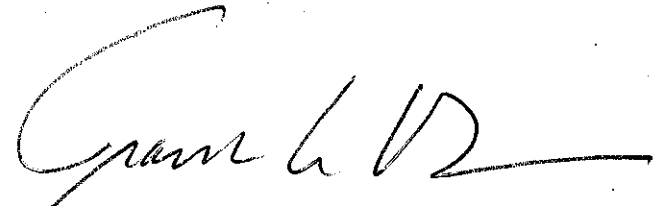
Tarasov affirms he has read and is familiar with the Local Court Rules of the Western District of Texas and will comply with the standards of practice.<sup>4</sup>

Ordinarily, to appear in this court, attorneys must have co-counsel who is admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas or be admitted to practice in this court themselves.<sup>5</sup> Neither of these requirements has been met. However, the judge presiding may excuse counsel's failure to satisfy these requirements.<sup>6</sup> As such, the court will grant Tarasov's request to appear *pro hac vice* with the caveat that he must apply for admission to appear in any future matter in the District Court for the Western District of Texas.

Accordingly:

- 1) It is **HEREBY ORDERED** that "Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice" [ECF No. 2] is **GRANTED**.
- 2) It is **FURTHER ORDERED** that, if he has not already done so, Tarasov shall immediately **TENDER** the amount of \$100.00, made payable to: Clerk, U.S. District Court, in compliance with Local Rule AT-1(f)(2).
- 3) It is **FURTHER ORDERED** that, should Tarasov wish to appear in any other case before the Western District of Texas, he shall **APPLY** for admission in accordance with the Local Rules.

**SIGNED AND ENTERED** this 4 day of August 2021.



**FRANK MONTALVO**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

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<sup>4</sup> See *id.* at 2; Local Rule AT-1(f).

<sup>5</sup> See *id.* at 3; Local Rule AT-1(f)(2), (h).

<sup>6</sup> Local Rule AT-1(f)(1).